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c) incubating said infected packaging cells under conditions suitable and for a time sufficient for production of said alphavirids replicon particles;

d) enumerating the number of resulting plaques, thereby quantitating said alphavirus replicon particles.

26. (Amended) The method according to claim 25, wherein said packaging cells express all structural proteins necessary for packaging of said alphavirus replicon particles.

Please cancel claim 31, without prejudice or disclaimer.

Attached hereto is a **version with markings to show changes made and pending claims.**